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### "LOOK IT UP"

"Divers weights and divers measures both of them alike are abomination to the Lord."—Proverbs 20:10.

Thinking men and women will do well to consider the striking arguments brought out by the World Trade Club of San Francisco in their campaign for adoption of the units of the metric system of weights and measures.

They show a striking anomaly. That the metric system was invented by a Briton, James Watt, in 1783, and yet all civilized nations have adopted it exclusively, excepting the United States and Great Britain.

That the so-called "British system" of weights and measures is of German origin—a relic of the old German Hansseatic trade league—and yet Germany scrapt it in 1871 and adopted the metric system, invented by a Briton.

People of Britannia and America may well ask themselves whether they are not carrying conservatism too far.

The Metric System is no untried theory.

Its principle—the principle of decimal computation—has been used in the monetary system of the United States since 1786. If the United States had heeded Thomas Jefferson, we should also have adopted this system of weights and measures based on decimals—so simple a system that a child can learn its main features in ten minutes. We know how well it works with money. It will work equally well with weights and measures.

of tobacco juice in his eye and walk off in utter contempt. The place to see real cowboys is at the Ashland roundup.

### BRYAN MEETS WITH FAVOR IN ASHLAND

Next to Billy Sunday, William Jennings Bryan was undoubtedly the premier drawing card of the Clatsauqua, especially among the lecturers. Many merchants and business men in the city closed their places of business for a couple of hours Tuesday afternoon in order to hear the Great Commoner discourse on the leading topics of the day, and a big concourse of people from all over the valley availed themselves of the opportunity to hear this notable speaker.

Mr. Bryan's topic was "Foreign and Domestic Problems," and for nearly two hours he held his audience by the power of his eloquence in the expose of the leading questions of the day as they appear to him. Prominent in these was the League of Nations, which, he declared, is the one instrument in our hands for the prevention of war. He also scored the proposal to make a separate treaty with France which, he claimed, would cut off our own power to decide when war was to be made. If the power of making war is to be taken away from Congress, then the only body to invest that power is the American people.

"To me it is offending that France should ask us to take this step," Mr. Bryan said. "America asked nothing in the war but victory and the vanquishment of Germany, and for a method of making permanent peace such a treaty would be a disintegrating force and would be a discredit to the League of Nations. And above all, American wants her flag loved, not feared."

Other important problems confronting the American people which Mr. Bryan discussed were national prohibition, government railroad ownership, telephone status, road building programs, trade commissions and profiteers. Of the first Mr. Bryan laid claim to the democratic party as being leaders in bringing this moral issue about. That he expected to live to see the day when prohibition ruled in every civilized nation in the world, was

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one of the declarations of this proponent of prohibition. "By America's testimony as a dry nation the world will be shaken," he declared. "There will be no great fight to enforce the law now. Henceforth the liquor interests will have to fight their battles individually, and not collectively."

A monster road building program was advocated by the speaker, as an economical investment for the country to take. Not only would it give the country that which it needs, but it would also provide employment for any of America's millions of returned service men who may be out of work. "The sum of \$2,500,000,000 spent for liquor annually when the business was at its height would fill the whole United States with paved streets," the speaker declared.

Mr. Bryan emphatically favors government ownership of railroads and telephone systems. According to his way of viewing it government ownership of railroads is not a failure. The roads were taken over when difficulties were at the highest and benefits at the lowest, and those at the heads of the system did not want the trial to succeed. Mr. Bryan advocates the idea of the government operating the trunk lines connecting the various sections of the country, while turning the roads over to the states in which they lie for operation. Private ownership of telephones also came under his disapproval. He pointed out that a telephone system in a country necessarily has a monopoly, and therefore should be handled by the public. His plan would have the various municipalities take over the switchboard and systems, and thus under such a plan the postoffice department would handle long distance lines.

Monopolies were scored by Mr. Bryan, who claimed that from an economic standpoint they are wrong. The absence of competition results in decreasing quality, he claimed, and increasing price. Politically

## American Legion Has Charter Open

The purposes and ideals of the American Legion were explained by Capt. E. J. Eivers, state chairman of the Legion, to an enthusiastic gathering of ex-service men at the Commercial club a week ago and within fifteen minutes after he had finished enough signatures were obtained on the Charter application to secure the Ashland post a charter. Previous to this the Ashland post had been a temporary organization. Only a few hours' notice were received of the state chairman's coming and it was impossible to notify the army and navy men of the district of the meeting, so just as many as could be gathered up on the street were got together and every one of the men present signed up and has become a committee of one to secure other members. In a short newspaper article it is impossible to give the scope and purpose of the Legion. Let it be known, however, that it is the one organization recognized by the government, that it already has hundreds of thousands of members thruout the nation and a strong National organization which assures the Legion of centralized and concerted effort which will accomplish all of its aims. Briefly its purposes are to foster one hundred percent Americanism, carry on the standards of patriotism inculcated during the war, preserve associations and memories of the war, see that those who refused to bear their share of making war and those who profited did not share in the prosperity of peace, to promote peace and good will on earth and to lend a helping hand to the bunkie who is down on his luck.

A member of the Legion has the privileges and the benefits of the organization wherever he may be. He is assured of help if he gets down and comradeship at all times. The grand ideals and great work of the G. A. R. will be carried on by the Legion.

The local post is following the lead of the other Oregon posts in keeping the charter open until Armistice day, November 11th, and remitting the first year's dues of \$2 to all men signing applications before that time. The initiation fee is \$2.00, making this the total cost for the first year to anyone who signs now.

Major C. A. Malone, president of the Legion Post here, was at the recent meeting and heartily endorsed the plan and has set the mark for Ashland's membership at 250 by Armistice day. All men who served for any length of time from one day to two years during the great war in either army or navy, are eligible for membership. Application cards may be obtained from the secretary of the post, Lynn Mowat, at the Ashland Commercial club.

The first weekly issue of "The American Legion," which was "The Stars and Stripes" in A. E. F. days, has been received at the Commercial club and copies will be given to all members calling. After this week the paper will be sent to the addresses given.

Our neighbor got a new machine. Just the other day; He says it uses gasoline, And not alfalfa hay.

Thus far we have not succumbed to the temptation to wear liver-colored shoes with white socks.

An agricultural exchange says that the farmer who is attending to his work finds plenty to do at this time of the year. The same might well be said of every man who attends to his own business and at any time of the year.

monopolies are wrong, because America cannot afford to let a powerful group of men grow up with an unAmerican attitude. The immense profits of a few breed anarchy.

One other reform Mr. Bryan would have is having the country publish newspapers for its people informing them upon bills to be voted upon, and giving them correct information on vital questions of the day. He favors a journal or chain of journals that would give editorial opinion of the different parties. However much his hearers may differ from Mr. Bryan politically no one can fail to admire his firm faith and steadfastness to his party, regardless of the many questions advocated by powers differing from those formerly advocated by him. He is a mighty good loser and has borne his political defeats with philosophy, and carries the same serene faith in the democratic party that he presented when he entered the arena over a score of years ago.

### COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS

The following is a schedule of expenditures of Jackson County, Ore., together with a list of the claimants and articles of service for which the claim is made and which were passed upon by the County Court of Jackson County during the month of June, 1919, and were allowed as follows, with the exceptions shown:

**County Court and Commissioners**  
G. A. Gardner, judge's salary \$150.00  
James Owens, commissioner's salary and expense 118.70  
Geo. W. Owen, commissioner's salary and expense 104.90  
Home Tel & Tel Co., telephone for April 5.35  
Home Tel & Tel Co., telephone for May 4.29  
Postal Tel Co., telegrams 2.95  
G. A. Gardner, expense trip to Portland 35.22  
Total \$421.51

**Circuit Court**  
F. Roy Davis, court reporter 35.00  
A. R. Thompson, circuit court clerk 54.00  
G. N. Lewis, bailiff of grand jury and cir. court 18.00  
F. Roy Davis, transcribing testimony 48.00  
Joseph Alnutt, grand juror 6.40  
John M. Allen, grand juror 9.00  
Mrs. Brumble, circuit court witness 2.10  
Wm. H. Brown, grand juror 9.60  
Dolly Brumble, circuit court witness 3.60  
Harry W. Barneburg, petit juror 12.80  
Danfel Barneburg, petit juror 12.80  
Ira L. Bradshaw, petit juror 14.00  
C. Charles Buck, petit juror 15.00  
Louis Brownworth, petit juror 15.80  
Fred N. Cummings, circuit court witness 4.50  
Robert Casey, grand juror 9.60  
Frank S. Carpenter, petit juror 12.00  
Jacob Casebeer, petit juror 15.40  
W. S. Chapman, grand juror witness 4.60  
Irvin Daley, circuit court witness 4.50  
Mrs. Dodson, circuit court witness 3.60  
Josiah Ditsworth, petit juror 6.00  
Timothy C. Dugan, petit juror 12.20  
Howard Dunlap, petit juror 10.20  
Geo. B. Dean, petit juror 9.60  
Scott Darby, grand jury witness 1.90  
C. Irvin Daley, grand jury witness 4.50  
John Diekey, grand jury witness 1.50  
Wm. H. Edmunds, petit juror 13.00  
Robert Ellsworth, gr. juror 4.20  
Everett E. Eds, petit juror 13.20  
Frederick Furry, petit juror 10.80  
W. W. Fristoe, grand jury witness 2.20  
Monroe H. Gordon, petit juror 13.00  
Isaac T. Galligar, pet. juror 13.00  
C. H. Gillett, grand juror 9.60  
Henry C. Gale, petit juror 15.40  
Gavin M. Grainger, petit juror 12.40  
Home Tel. & Tel. Co., April tel for circuit judge 3.70  
Home Tel & Tel. Co., May tel for circuit judge 3.00  
E. H. Helms, petit juror 9.00  
Henry Head, grand juror 7.40  
James Higinbotham petit juror 14.60  
John Court Hall, grand juror 4.20  
Mrs. Hobart, grand jury witness 3.20  
Vesta Holt, grand jury witness 2.00  
W. J. Hartzell, grand jury witness 2.30  
Mrs. Iverson, circuit court witness 3.60  
Kenneth Jerome, circuit ert witness 2.10  
Denver Kineald, grand juror 7.40  
Rexall Lloyd, circuit court witness 3.00  
F. M. Lance, grand juror 7.20  
Dovey Lamb, circuit court witness 3.60  
Thomas C. Law, petit juror 13.40  
Rexall Lloyd, grand jury witness 4.70  
F. E. Loomis, grand jury witness 2.00  
Edith Lumsden, circuit court witness 2.10  
Frank Miller, petit juror 10.20  
J. W. McDonough, gr. juror 9.60  
Jack Mayhan, grand jury witness 3.50  
W. C. Medley, circuit court witness 10.80  
Harold McDonald, grand jury witness 2.10  
Nye Mathews, grand jury witness 3.50  
John McKinney, grand jury witness 1.50  
Wiley Norman, circuit court witness 3.60  
John Palmer, circuit court witness 2.10  
E. H. Porter, grand jury witness 2.00  
Faskell M. Putney, gr. juror 4.20  
Chas. A. Peterson, petit juror 4.20  
Benj. L. Powell, petit juror 12.40  
James I. Patton, petit juror 20.00  
Dr. E. B. Pickett, circuit court witness 2.10  
Robert W. Ruhl, grand juror 4.20  
Edward Riggs, grand jury witness 1.50  
Mike Sidley, circuit court witness 4.50  
Joe Sidley, circuit court witness 4.50  
Dr. C. T. Sweeney, circuit court witness 2.10  
Elliott F. Smith, petit juror 15.40  
Mary Smith, grand jury witness 3.20  
Ernest Scott, grand jury witness 2.70  
Mike Sodley, Jr., grand jury witness 4.50  
Joe Sidley, grand jury witness 4.50  
C. E. Terrill, money advanced cir. court witness 3.00  
Ben J. Trowbridge, petit juror 10.20  
Tom Taylor, circuit court witness 2.10  
T. L. Taylor, grand juror 7.20  
G. O. Timothy, grand jury witness 2.00  
Mrs. Tull, circuit court witness 3.60  
Earl Wood, grand jury witness 3.50  
Mrs. W. Wood, grand jury witness 3.50

J. D. Welch, grand jury witness 2.00  
Sam Wilson, circuit court witness 3.60  
Lowell Zundel, circuit court witness 2.10  
Lowell Zundel, grand jury witness 2.10  
Lowell Zundel, grand jury witness 2.10  
F. M. Lance, circuit court expense 2.50  
T. L. Taylor, circuit court expense 2.50  
Total \$749.90

**Justice Court**  
J. T. Roberts, justice court witness 2.20  
Glass & Prudhomme Co., Justice of peace supplies 6.50  
G. O. Taylor, justice court expense 89.05  
Geo. O. Timothy, justice court expense 4.00  
Total \$101.91

**Sheriff's Office**  
C. E. Terrill, sheriff's salary 208.33  
Flora Thompson, deputy sheriff's salary 100.00  
Glen L. Terrill, deputy sheriff's salary 85.00  
W. O. Garrett, deputy sheriff's salary 125.00  
Frank L. Coleman, work in sheriff's office 104.00  
Arthur P. Hazeltine, work in sheriff's office 104.00  
Geo. L. Howard, work in sheriff's office 84.00  
Emma Wendt, work in sheriff's office 65.00  
Ella Parks, work in sheriff's office 70.00  
Nettie L. Thompson, work in sheriff's office 8.75  
W. O. Garrett, deputy sheriff hire in June 55.00  
R. H. Bradshaw, deputy sheriff's expense 24.00  
P. H. Daily, deputy sheriff's expense 18.00  
M. L. Daily, deputy sheriff's expense 2.00  
W. O. Garrett, sheriff's exp Home Tel & Tel. Co., telephone for May 13.80  
Medford Book Store, office supplies 5.15  
J. J. McMahon, sheriff's exp Postal Tel. Co., telegrams for sheriff's office 9.69  
Glen L. Terrill, sheriff's exp C. E. Terrill, office expense 46.87  
C. E. Terrill, sheriff's exp 66.20  
C. E. Terrill, sheriff's exp 28.00  
Western Union Tel. Co., sheriff's office expense 18.00  
Western Union Tel. Co., telegrams, sheriff 88  
Western Union Tel. Co., telegrams, sheriff 2.49  
J. J. McMahon, deputy sheriff's expense 2.25  
Total \$1295.17

**County Clerk's Office**  
Chauncey Florey, co. clerk's salary 166.66  
Mildred M. Nell, deputy clerk's salary 83.34  
Louise Wilkams, deputy clerk's salary 80.00  
Frances Nell, deputy clerk's salary 70.00  
Ruberta Pearce, deputy clerk's salary 65.00  
Dellia Stevens, work in clerk's office 65.00  
Pauline Dean, work in clerk's office 15.00  
Grace L. Wilson, work in clerk's office 30.00  
Chauncey Florey, stamps 47.90  
J. W. Gardner, repairs of typewriters 19.00  
Home Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone for April 6.05  
Home Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone for May 7.35  
Medford Printing Co., office supplies 86.35  
Medford Book Store, office supplies 5.83  
Total 747.48

**County Treasurer's Office**  
Myrtle W. Blakeley, treasurer's salary 100.00  
Lenore Godlove, clerical work in treasurer's office 70.00  
Myrtle W. Blakeley, stamps for office 15.00  
J. W. Gardner, repairs on typewriter 2.50  
Home Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone for April 2.25  
Home Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone for May 2.75  
Medford Book Store, office supplies 8.40  
Postal Tel. Co., telegrams .88  
Co. Treasurer Myrtle Blakeley, typewriter 60.00  
Total \$261.75

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**Ashland Transfer & Storage Co.**  
C. F. Bates, Proprietor

**Wood, "Peacock" and Rock Springs Coal and Cement**

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